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1. On 23 December 1952 the Vietnam News Agency, the official government news agency of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam (DRV) established a branch office at 1 Machuang (7456/5445), Yuanhu (0955/3275) Road, Nanning, under CHANG Chung-t'ien (1728/0022/1131). The branch was affiliated with the Secretariat of the Kwangsi provincial government; the United Front and Propaganda Departments of the Kwangsi party committee; and the Nanning office of the New China News Agency.
2. This new branch was obtaining information from the New China News Agency and doing limited reporting on industry, mining, and commerce in the area.
3. In December the Vietnam News Agency also had one branch at Chanchiang (N 21-11, E 110-24) and one branch at Canton.

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